



# Red River Basin Commission

## Long Term Flood Solutions

Public Survey October 2009

*This is your chance to give your input on flood issues in the Red River Valley. Thank you for helping us to develop our comprehensive plan to address long term flood protection in the basin. Look for our report on the results in mid-January 2010 on our website!*

Go to our website to fill this out electronically or for more information: [www.redriverbasincommission.org](http://www.redriverbasincommission.org)

Please remit this survey to: [brenda@redriverbasincommission.org](mailto:brenda@redriverbasincommission.org) or fax to: (218) 291-0438

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or drop off on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Moorhead Post Office. Questions? (218) 291-0422

1. In which state do you reside?  
a.) North Dakota      b.) Minnesota      c.) South Dakota
  
2. In which community do you reside? \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. What level of flood protection does your community have right now?  
a.) Less than 100-year                      b.) 100-year  
c.) 250-year                                      d.) I am uncertain  
e.) other: \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Have you been directly affected by floods and/or received flood damage at your home or business? (yes) (no)
  
5. Do you feel the level of flood protection where you live is adequate? (yes) (no)
  
6. If the level is inadequate, what level of flood protection do you think your community should have?  
a.) No increase is needed                      b.) 100-year  
c.) 250-year                                      d.) 500-year  
e.) other: \_\_\_\_\_
  
7. What flood risk reduction project(s) do you think should be pursued in your community? (*select one or more*)  
a.) Levees                                      b.) Diversion  
c.) Upstream flood storage                      d.) Buyouts  
e.) other: \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. How much are you willing to pay per single residence annually for permanent flood protection?  
(*select only one*)  
a.) Less than \$100      b.) \$100 to \$500      c.) \$500 to \$1,000      d.) \$1,000 or more
  
9. Many potential flood damage reduction solutions have been considered and are often discussed at public meetings or in the news media – do you have any suggestions that you believe have not been considered? *Use backside if necessary:*  
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10. What tools and information do you need that would help you make local decisions regarding flood problems in your area? *Use backside if necessary:*  
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